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Situation of countries stricken by desertification and drought in Africa

Report of the Secretary-General

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The table should read

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Table. Trends in factors influencing desertification, 1977-1988

(Annual percentage rates of change)

	Africa		Sudano-Sahel		South of Sudano-Sahel		North Africa	
	1977-1985	1985-1988	1977-1985	1985-1988	1977-1985	1985-1988	1977-1985	1985-1988
Population	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.1	2.9	3.0	2.8	2.8
Livestock	1.3	1.7	1.6	2.0	0.7	0.6	0.8	2.2
Fuelwood	2.9	3.0 a/	3.2	3.3	2.5	2.3	2.4	2.3
Charcoal	3.1	2.9 a/	3.3	3.4	..	1.5	2.4	1.2

Source: World Population Prospects 1988 (United Nations publication, Sales No. E.88.XIII.7); FAO, FAO Production Yearbook 1987 and 1988; and FAO, FAO Forest Products Yearbook 1987.

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